



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re U.S. Divisional Patent Application of:	) Prior Application:	
George STYLIOS	) Application No.:	09/834,076
	) Filed:	April 12, 2001
Mailed: October 31, 2003	) Group Art Unit:	2863
	) Examiner:	John H. Le
For: Sheet Parameter Measurement	)	

**DIVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION**  
**TRANSMITTAL FILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

Box Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a divisional application of pending prior Application Serial No. 09/834,076 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). The parent application was filed on April 12, 2001, by Applicant George Stylios and is similarly entitled "Sheet Parameter Measurement."

**Benefit of Prior U.S. Application**

The attached divisional application being transmitted claims the benefit of a prior U.S. application, as indicated below.

**Papers Enclosed**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d), the specification filed herewith contains no new matter. Accordingly, a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney from the parent application (U.S. Application No. 09/834,076) is submitted herewith.

The papers attached are as follows:

<u>11</u>	pages of Specification
<u>3</u>	pages of Claims
<u>1</u>	page of Abstract
<u>2</u>	sheets of formal drawings, containing FIGS. 1-5.

### Additional Papers Enclosed

### Declaration or Oath (including Power of Attorney)

As previously stated, a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the prior U.S. application (Application No. 09/834,076) is submitted herewith, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d).

### Incorporation by Reference

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

### Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same as that for the parent application.

### Entity Status

Applicant claims small entity status.

### Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

			Small Entity			Other Than A Small Entity	
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Basic Fee				\$385	or		\$0
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Check No. 18836 in the amount of \$385.00 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0280 for the following fees associated with

this communication and during the entire pendency of the Application (a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached).

X Any additional filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a), (f) and (g).

X Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b), (c) and (d) for presentation of extra claims.

**Relate Back – 35 U.S.C. 120**

As required under 35 U.S.C. 120, the Specification of the attached application includes the following specific reference to the earlier filed parent application:

"This Application is a divisional of copending  
Application Serial No. 09/834,076 filed on April 12,  
2001 upon which a claim of priority is based."

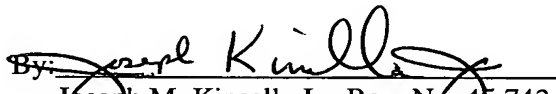
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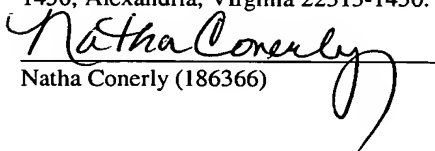
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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10**

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